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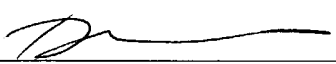
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Sir:

A Petition and Fee for a one-month Extension of Time through and including February 2, 2004, accompanies this Amendment.

In response to the Office Action dated October 1, 2003, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: